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Complete if Known **Application Number** 09/438,365 **Filing Date** November 12, 1999 **First Named Inventor** Yongliang CHU **Examiner Name** To be assigned ζουρ / Art Unit To be assigned Attorney Docket Number 0942.4650001/RWE/THN

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Total Claims 169 - 20** = 149 X 18 = 2,682	122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner		
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For: New Transfection Reagents

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Sir:

In reply to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted," dated December 15, 1999, Applicants submit the following documents for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

- 1. Fee Transmittal Form (PTO/SB/17) (in duplicate);
- 2. Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts;
- 3. Original Declaration, executed by the inventors;
- 4. Assignee 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement with copy of Assignment attached;
- 5. Preliminary Amendment; and
- 6. Return postcard

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The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge all requisite fees to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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APPLICATION NUMBER FILING/RECEIPT DATE FIRST NAMED APPLICANT ATTORNEY DOCKET NO /TITLE 09/438,365 11/12/99 CHU 0942.4650001 0262/1215 NOT ASSIGNED STERNE KESSLER GOLDSTEIN ATTORNEYS AT LAW SUITE 600 1100 NEW YORK AVENUE NA WASHINGTON DC 20005-39 12/15/99 NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION Filing Date Granted An Application Number and Filing Date have been assigned to this application. The items indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). If any of items 1 or 3 through 5 are indicated as missing, the SURCHARGE set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of ☐ \$65.00 f r a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, or 🖂 \$130.00 for a non-small entity, must also be timely submitted in r ply t this NOTICE to avoid abandonment. If all required items on this form are filed within the period set above, the total amount owed by applicant as a ☐ small entity (statement filed) ☑ non-small entity is \$__ The statutory basic filing fee is: missing. ☐ insufficient. to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement Applicant must submit \$ claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27). The following additional claims fees are due: total claims over 20. independent claims over 3. for multiple dependent claim surcharge. Applicant must either submit the additional claim fees or cancel additional claims for which fees are due. The oath or declaration: is missing or unsigned. does not cover the newly submitted items. An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1. 63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date is required. The signature(s) to the oath or declaration is/are by a person other than inventor or person qualified under 37 CFR 1.42, A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required. ☐ 5. The signature of the following joint inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration: An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required. ☐ 6. A \$50.00 processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21(m)). 7. Your filing receipt was mailed in error because your check was returned without payment. 8. The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant must file a verified English translation of the application, the \$130.00 set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(k), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)). □ 9. OTHER: Direct the reply and any questions about this notice to "Attention: Box Missing Parts." A copy of this notice <u>MUST</u> be returned with the reply. 02/17/2000 KZEWDIE 00000008 190036 01 FC:101 760.00 CH Custőmer Service Center 02 FC:103 2682.00 CH Initial Patent Examination Division (703) 308-1202 260.00 CH